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YOUTH CONFERENCE 2009

WEEKEND NOTEBOOK

WELCOME TO YC 2009!

The world is loud. Imagine a world in which there are no cars, planes, speakers, televisions, iPods, or cell phones. Would there be any noise left? The silence would be deafening. All music would be acoustic and there would be no such thing as recordings. Horses would create some noise passing by, but nothing like the hum of an engine. All communication would be in person or by written letter. This world would be silent compared to today's society.

How does all this noise affect our relationship with God?

This journey on looking at the effects of noise and faith started on an hour long car ride with no music. It was surprising to see how many things I could think through and the ideas I could grasp in this time of silence. Noise was getting in the way of completing a full thought. The spiritual discipline of silence has been lost today and needs to be found. The thing is, the Bible also calls us to make a joyful noise to the Lord. We are called to spread the joy of Christ through preaching His Word.

This presents an interesting paradox.

Noise of today's society impedes on our relationship with Christ, but we also need to create a noise that aligns with the Christian worldview and deafens all falsehoods.

Noise is the starting place for Youth Conference 2009 and we are excited to explore this issue and see where God leads us in this journey together.

We're glad you're here!

Megan Percy & Bryant Crubaugh
Youth Conference Co-Directors

Schedule

Friday, April 24

4:00 - 7:00 pm	Registration.....	Rediger Auditorium
5:00 - 6:30 pm	Dinner.....	Dining Commons
7:00 - 8:00 pm	Game Show.....	Odle Arena
8:15 - 9:30 pm	Session #1.....	Rediger Auditorium
9:30 - 10:15 pm	Small Groups.....	Various Locations
10:30 - 11:45 pm	Totally Techno Party.....	Dining Commons
Midnight	Curfew.....	Residence Halls

Saturday, April 25

8:00 - 9:00 am	Breakfast.....	Dining Commons
9:15 - 10:30 am	Session #2.....	Rediger Auditorium
10:30 - 11:00 am	Devotions.....	Various Locations
11:00 am - Noon	Small Groups.....	Various Locations
Noon - 1:00 pm	Lunch.....	Dining Commons
1:15 - 2:15 pm	Workshop #1.....	Group 1: Rediger Group 2: See pg. 4
2:30 - 3:30 pm	Workshop #2.....	Group 1: See pg. 4 Group 2: Rediger
3:30 - 5:00 pm	Free Time.....	Various Locations
	<i>Sports Open Gym</i>	KSAC
	<i>Ultimate Frisbee</i>	Reade/Nussbaum Field
5:00 - 6:45 pm	Dinner.....	Dining Commons
7:00 - 8:45 pm	Session #3.....	Rediger Auditorium
9:00 - 10:15 pm	Small Groups.....	Various Locations
10:15 - 11:45 pm	Outdoor Concert.....	Reade Field
Midnight	Curfew.....	Residence Halls

Sunday, April 26

8:00 - 9:00 am	Breakfast.....	Dining Commons
9:00 - 10:30 am	Session #4.....	Rediger Auditorium
10:30 - 11:00 am	Devotions.....	Various Locations
11:00 - Noon	Small Groups.....	Various Locations
Noon - 1:00 pm	Lunch.....	Dining Commons

*The Jumping Bean in the Student Union will be open during Free Time and the Outdoor Concert.

Small Groups

Small Group Leader #1: _____

Contact Info: _____

Small Group Leader #2: _____

Contact Info: _____

Small Group Members:

Leader Schedule

Youth pastors and leaders are welcome to attend any and all YC events with your students. In addition to the schedule on page 2, please note below some special events that have been scheduled just for you. Feel free to join us.

Friday, April 24

9:30 - 10:15 pm Youth Leaders Info Meeting....Stuart Room
(lower level of chapel)

Saturday, April 25

10:45 - 11:00 am Group Devotions.....Memorial Prayer Chapel

1:15 - 2:15 pm Workshop with Dr. Bill Heth..Stuart Room
(lower level of chapel)

9:00 - 10:15 pm Group Devotions.....Stuart Room
(lower level of chapel)

Sunday, April 26

11:00 - 11:45 am Prayer Service.....Memorial Prayer Chapel

The Stuart Room (lower level of the chapel) will be available throughout the weekend as a Hospitality Room for our youth pastors and leaders. There will be snacks, drinks, coffee, and other resources available for you.

Workshops

There are two workshop session times where you will be going to two different places with your small group.

For one of the sessions, your small group will be starting out in the Rediger Chapel/Auditorium. You will be given a mission to complete several steps with your group. Get ready to move around TU's campus!

During the other session time, make your way to Nussbaum. You may choose to attend either of the two workshops we have listed below. They'll also be labeled on the outside of the rooms.

Sports and the Christian Life: Noise affects every aspect of life, in good and bad ways. In the athletic world, noise can come in the form of cheers from the crowd, instructions from the coaches, directions from fellow players and jeers from the opposing team. Come listen in on a coach's perspective on sports and Christianity. Hear about how sports can be a metaphor for our Christian walk, and shape your own views on athletics and Christianity. *Nussbaum 123.*

Music, Media and Culture: Living a full, consistent life with Jesus while being confronted daily with the media can be a major battle! Come hear from Taylor University's Student Life staff as they share some wisdom on the need for Christians to learn how to use media in healthy ways. Learn more about how to look at music, movies, websites and other forms of media as a part of our Christian walk, and the freedom that Christians can have with the right mindset. *Nussbaum 122.*

Journal Space

Session #1 Notes

Small Group Notes

NOISE

Session #2 Notes

Small Group Notes

Session #3 Notes

Small Group Notes

Session #4 Notes

Small Group Notes



Important Info!

Phone Numbers:

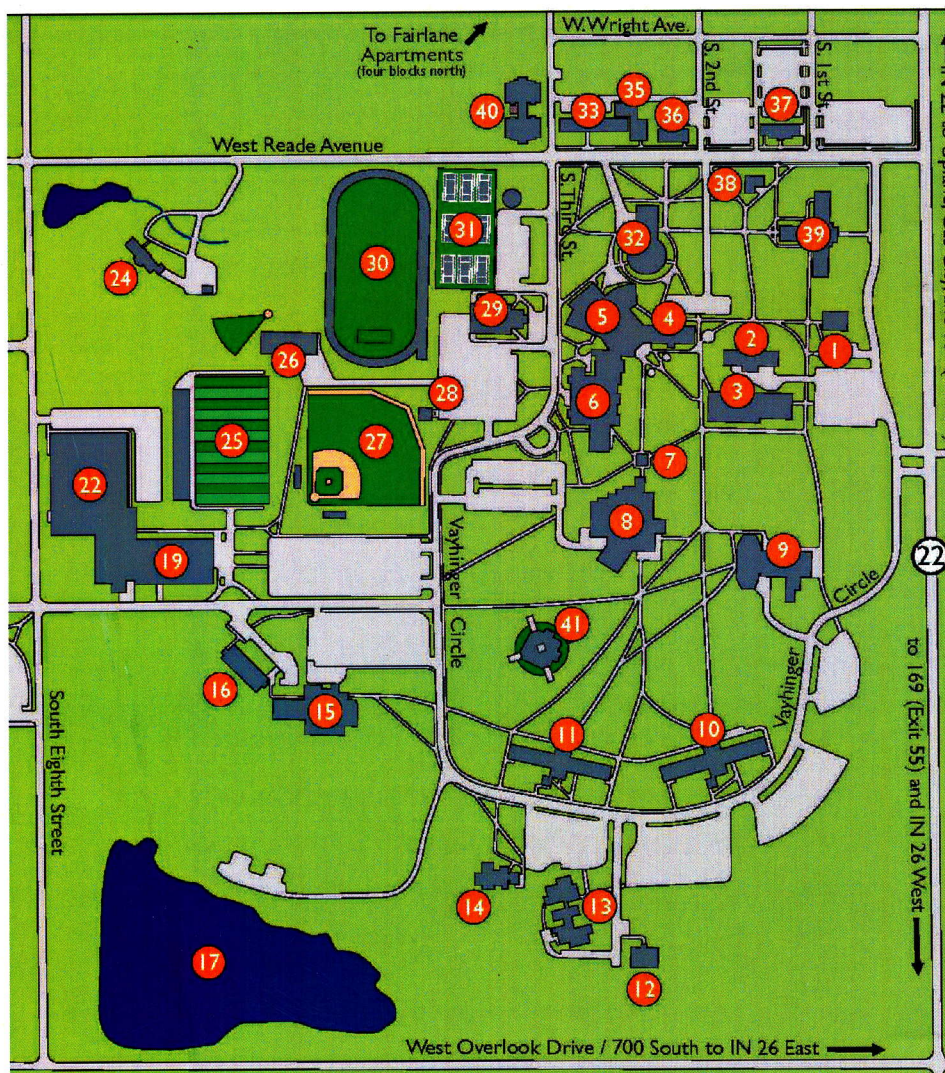
T.U. Police / Emergency (765) 998-5555
85555 on a campus phone

24-Hour Info Desk (765) 998-4949
84949 on a campus phone

Important Reminders:

- Wristband is required for admittance to all YC events and meals. Please wear it at all times.
- Be in your assigned residence hall by curfew (12 midnight).
- You are expected to attend all YC activities.
- Do not leave campus unless you are with your youth pastor or other adult leader from your group.
- Girls are not allowed in boys' dorms and boys are not allowed in girls' dorms.
- No PDA (public displays of affection).
- No alcohol, drugs, smoking, or weapons of any kind.

If you have any questions, check in at the 24-hour info desk in the chapel or look for a cabinet member wearing a bright blue t-shirt.



Atterbury Building.....	36	Hodson Dining Commons.....	15	Samuel Morris Hall.....	39
Ayres Alumni Memorial Building.....	2	Jim Wheeler Memorial Stadium.....	25	Sickler Hall.....	38
Baseball Field.....	27	Kesler Student Activities Center.....	22	Smith-Hermanson Music Center.....	6
Bergwall Hall.....	16	Memorial Prayer Chapel.....	41	Soccer Fields.....	21
Boyd Building & Grounds Complex.....	20	Modelle Metcalf Visual Arts Center.....	41	Softball Field.....	18
Campbell Apartments.....	40	Nussbaum Science Center.....	9	Student Union.....	32
English Hall.....	13	Odle Arena.....	19	Swallow-Robin Hall.....	37
Field House.....	26	President's Home.....	24	Taylor Lake.....	17
Freimuth Administration Building.....	33	Randall Environmental Studies Center.....	23	Taylor University Police Department.....	28
George Glass Track & Field Complex.....	20	Reade Memorial Liberal Arts Center.....	3	Tennis Courts.....	31
Gerig Hall.....	14	Rediger Chapel / Auditorium.....	29	University Post Office.....	35
Grace Olson Hall.....	10	Rice Bell Tower.....	7	Wengatz Hall.....	11
Haakonsen Hall.....	12	Rupp Communication Arts Center.....	5	Zondervan Library.....	8
Helena Memorial Hall.....	1				